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"HEW TO THE LINE AND CLEAVE TO THE TRUTH"

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VIRGINIA POLYTECH DEFEATS G. W. 26-20

End of First Half Finds George Washington in Lead by Five Points.
Outlucked in Second Half.

Receiving all the breaks in the last half, Virginia Polytechnic defeated George Washington, 26-20, at the Central Coliseum, Ninth and Pennsylvania Avenue, Tuesday evening, February 15. The half-time was reached with the Hatchettes on the long end of a 14-9 count.

Both sides received as their first tally a foul shot. Poly putting hers through first. The first basket of the game was scored by Rhodes, who was destined to hang up seven baskets to his total. He was the best scoring bet the Virginia boys had. From the middle of the court Bracklow put a count through the netting, tying up the result. This was followed by four successful free tosses at the hands of Spears. Rhodes again counted, but through the clever passing game of the locals the ball was kept under the G. W. basket, enabling Spears and Loehler to count. Parrish, the big Virginia center, tossed in one when was unguarded, and with a successful foul shot brought Poly's count to 9.

Little after Parrish got his snowbird, Bracklow counted again, followed by two foul counters from Spears, bringing the G. W. count to 14. The half way station was reached with Poly on the short end of a 14-9 result.

The old superstition that to change one's jersey during a game changes one's luck, certainly worked to Poly's credit in this game. In the first period they wore their regular jerseys and had been outplayed by the locals all the way. In the second half they appeared in white jerseys and their luck immediately changed. Parrish started things, and was followed by two counters from the point-scoring Rhodes, which changed the result to read 15-14. From this point Virginia was never headed. Our boys met with continual hard luck, for the ball would roll tantalizingly around the rim and then deliberately drop off, instead of through. Spears received a raw deal from luck when he stood half way between the baskets on the left side of the court and tossed the leather into the hoop in a very accurate shot, the ball going over half way in the netting, changed its mind and jumped out. Rhodes put in some more deadly work by hopping the ball through the netting twice more before Loehler made the final floor goal for the Hatchettes. In the final half the boys from Blacksburg used a five-man defense, making it necessary for the Hatchettes to make long shots.

Gallaudet Defeats Varsity 34-33.

In a roughly played game, Gallaudet nosed out the Hatchettes in an extra five-minute period, 34-33. The preliminary contest went to the G. W. Frosh, 26-24. Both struggles were fought out in the gym at Kendall Green, Friday evening, February 11.

The Varsity went into the fray with a handicap, for they were without the services of the dependable "Jack" Daily in the back court. Eskeu, clever forward, was shifted to the guarding position of Daily, who is out.

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ADHERENTS OF PRACTICAL ART FORM CLUB AT G. W.

A new society has been formed in the University within the last few days. It was formed by those interested in art as it is portrayed in the several magazines, and those who are now members wish all those in the University who are interested in illustration, cover designing, cartooning or any of the kindred styles of art would affiliate themselves with this organization as soon as possible in order that the very important work for this year may be successfully carried out and the foundation for a new and more successful club of this sort be laid.

This club is to be known as the George Washington Art Society, and with proper support can be made to be on of the leading clubs of the University, as its work will in the future be constantly before the student body. Besides contributing to the greatness of G. W., all those who are members will find their own knowledge and experience increased many times, as well as having the pleasure of seeing their works on display throughout the University. Accordingly, the club extends a hearty invitation to all those in the University interested in art to come out to the meetings and to become members as soon as possible.

CENTENNIAL SCHEDULE.

Saturday, Feb. 19—Law School Banquet, Franklin Square Hotel, 7 p. m.
Arts and Sciences Banquet, Willard Hotel, 9 p. m.
Monday, Feb. 21—Junior Class Reception, Raleigh Hotel, 4 to 7 p. m.
University Dinner, Rauscher's, 7:30 p. m.
Tuesday, Feb. 22—Mid-winter Convocation, Central High School, p. m.
Thursday, Feb. 24—Junior Prom, Rauscher's, 9:30 p. m.
Monday, Feb. 28—Junior Play, "The Truth," Central High School, 8 p. m.

PROMINENT G. W. U. ALUMNUS DIES

Governor Frederick H. Parkhurst, of Maine, Former G. W. Student, Succumbs to Diphtheria.

Frederick H. Parkhurst, governor of Maine, and a member of the George Washington Alumni, of the Law College, died on January 31 as a result of diphtheric infection under the tongue, from which he had been suffering for a period of three weeks. Governor Parkhurst graduated from the George Washington Law College with the Class of 1887 (at that time known as the Columbian University Law School). He was admitted to the bar in Bangor, Maine, his birthplace, and became engaged in the manufacture of trunks, a business established by his father.

Governor Parkhurst had served in both branches of the State legislature and as chairman of the Republican State Committee.

SPANISH CLUB WILL GIVE BANQUET IN MARCH

Arranging to Present Short Spanish Play; Dancing to Follow Banquet.

El Circulo Espanol will hold a formal banquet at the Wardman Park Hotel in the early part of March. Spanish diplomats stationed in Washington will be secured to speak, and a short Spanish play will be presented by some of the members. An orchestra will be secured, and dancing will be enjoyed for the remainder of the evening.

The membership of the club is expected to have grown to such an extent by this time that no uncertainty is felt in the ability of the club in filling the required number of covers. Mr. Pasalaqua, the president of the society, knows many Spanish legionists and members of South American Embassies who are stationed in this city, and whom he thinks he can secure to make addresses.

The cast of the play is being selected by the social committee, and will probably consist of those who are best versed in the Spanish language. Any member of El Circulo Espanol can try out for this comedy upon application to one of the social committee.

With the rapid growth in members and importance of El Circulo Espanol in George Washington University there comes the need to restrict the membership and make the honor and significance of being a member of such an organization felt more emphatically throughout the University. To bring this about, it has been decided by the club that hereafter a written application, stating the experience and merits of the applicant, must be submitted for membership. These applications will be examined by a committee, and those whose presence is desired will be notified.

An insignia badge is also being selected by the president, which is to be worn by the members for fraternal benefits. This badge will only be worn by active members of the society, and will bear a worthy significance among the student body.

With such an organization as El Circulo Espanol is becoming this is imperative, and the only means by which it can thrive upon a working basis. All students of Spanish in George Washington University are urged to patronize this society. Any officer of the club will be glad to explain any details of which there may be uncertainty.

DEBATING SOCIETY ELECTS.

At a regular meeting of the Columbian Debating Society, held Friday evening, February 11, in the alumni room of the Law School, officers were elected for the second semester.

JUNIOR CLASS HAS BIG SHARE IN CENTENNIAL

Will Give Reception at Raleigh Hotel. Open To Entire University. February 21 the Date.

The Junior Class will have a big share in the celebration of George Washington University's Centennial next week. Three events are scheduled, a Junior Reception, a Junior Prom, and a Junior Play.

The reception will be held in the big ballroom of the Raleigh Hotel, from 4 to 7 p. m., on the afternoon of Monday, February 21. The Prom will be held at Rauscher's on the following Thursday, the 24th; and the play will be presented at the Central High School on Monday night, the 28th.

The reception on Monday will be in the form of an open house to all the University students, faculties and friends. The administration officers of the University, with their wives, and the deans and their wives will be in the receiving line. One member of the faculty will speak, and the Glee Club will offer several selections.

An orchestra will furnish music for dancing, and punch will be served throughout the afternoon. A cordial invitation to attend has been extended to all students, all members of the faculty, and to all alumni and friends, and it is hoped that a large number will turn out for the occasion.

The Prom at Rauscher's on Thursday night promises to be a large dance. Meyer Davis will offer an orchestra of eight pieces for the music, and dancing will start at 10 p. m. and last until 2 the next morning. Rauscher will serve the refreshments.

The programs are unusual. Each couple will be given a program of grey-green leather in the form of a card case, with the University seal stamped in gold on the outside. The programs will make very useful presents for the ladies who attend.

The reception will be free of charge and "glad to see you" to everyone. The Prom will cost \$5 a couple. Tickets for it may be purchased from any Junior or in the offices of the various departments. Tickets will also be sold at the door on the night of the dance.

The play, a four-act comedy, "The Truth," by Clyde Fitch, will be presented in the auditorium of the Central High School on Monday night, the 28th, at 8:15 p. m.

A Prom ticket will admit one couple to the play. Upon presentation of a ticket to the Prom, the holder will be given two tickets to the presentation of "The Truth." Tickets to the play may be purchased separately from canvassers on the campus, in the offices of the departments, and at the door of the high school on the night of the performance. Tickets will cost 75 cents each, devoid absolutely of any war tax.

FROSH PRESIDENT URGES SUPPORT OF JUNIOR PROM

First Year Students to Have Prom; Mixer, With Dancing, After Meeting.

The Freshman mixer held Friday evening, February 11, was exceptionally successful from every possible angle. A short meeting was held before the dancing began. President Earle Manson called the meeting to order. The Frosh decided to have a prom, but on motion they agreed to put off the discussion to a later date because the president desired to have more members present. A meeting will be called in a few days and every Freshman is urged to be there. Before adjourning the meeting, the president emphasized the fact that all Freshmen should do their best to back the Junior Prom, and if possible to buy tickets.

The festivities started with everybody joining in line and circling around the room and corridor singing, "Hail, Hail, the Gang's All Here." The dancing then started, Harry Sokolov's orchestra rendering some jazz that started things going and kept on going until 12 o'clock. The music was unusually good. Everybody was happy, and it looks as though the Freshmen will have "some" prom if advance dope can be taken from the mixer.

NEOPHYTES

DELTA TAU DELTA.
George Leathewhite Roberts..... '24
PHI MU.
Julia Cook..... C. C. '24
SIGMA PHI EPSILON.
Don Johnson..... Pre-Med.
J. Reynolds Robertson..... C. C. '25
PHI SIGMA KAPPA.
Charles C. Alford..... '24
Jonothon C. Gibson..... '24

Last Home Game

The last home game of the basketball season will be played at the Central Coliseum, Ninth and Pennsylvania Avenue, on the evening of FEBRUARY 19.

COME and SUPPORT THE TEAM in its last game of the season on the home floor.

DON'T FORGET THE TIME: SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 19. LEND US YOUR SUPPORT!

GLEE CLUB TO TAKE PART IN CENTENNIAL

Colflesh Reports Concert To Be a Financial Success; Dinner Given For Club.

The regular weekly meeting of the George Washington Glee Club was held last Thursday evening, February 10, in the chapel of Lisner Hall. A short rehearsal was held, followed by a report of the concert committee relative to the financial outcome of the concert. According to Robert Colflesh, manager, the concert was a financial as well as a social success. On motion of a member, a vote of thanks was given to Director King-Smith and Manager Colflesh in appreciation of their services. Director King-Smith made a short speech, thanking the boys. He told them that they had been asked to sing Sunday afternoon at Walter Reed Hospital. This invitation was unanimously accepted. All members of the club were requested to be present at a dinner to be given Thursday evening at 8:30 by Mrs. King-Smith at her home, 1712 New Hampshire Avenue.

The contemplated tour for the club is still under consideration. Manager Colflesh has written many letters to well-known universities, preliminary to arranging a schedule. Among the institutions the manager has been in correspondence with are the University of Pennsylvania, University of Virginia, Cornell and Johns Hopkins. An effort is being made to arrange the trip so that it will come during the Easter holidays.

In connection with the Centennial celebration, the Glee Club has a full program in front of them. They have been asked to entertain at the George Washington Trustees' reception the afternoon of February 21 and at the Faculty Club's banquet in the evening of the same day. Both of these invitations have been accepted, and the Faculty Club has been generous to donate some money to the Glee Club's treasury.

Both Director King-Smith and Manager Robert Colflesh are anxious for more students to come out for the Glee Club. The Glee Club is an association that has come to stay, and students who are members will find that the time they spend practicing for the club will be well worth their while.

G. W. GRADUATE SPEAKS TO ENGINEERING SOCIETY

The Engineering Society held its fifth meeting Tuesday evening, February 15. Mr. Watson Davis, a graduate of George Washington, who is at the Bureau of Standards, gave a very interesting talk on structural materials, well illustrated by movies and a number of slides. He touched on building materials from the primitive adobe to the modern reinforced concrete.

The meeting was preceded by an appetizing meal prepared by the Sphinx Honor Society.

EVEN CHANCE WITH NAVY.

The George Washington University basketball squad will journey to Annapolis to engage the strong Navy team on the birthday of the namesake of this school, George Washington. The game will be called at 2:30 o'clock on the afternoon of February 22, in the Academy gym.

Several students are planning to go to Annapolis to witness the game. When questioned, the G. W. manager, Tex Hall, expressed the opinion that "We have an even chance of winning this game, for Delaware beat Navy and we would have beaten Delaware if that game had been played on another floor or with another official."

MORSE URGES MORE SUPPORT FOR TEAM

Student Council Begins Honor Probe; Discusses Finances and Names Assistant Managers.

That the University spirit in the student body should at least keep pace with the excellent work being done by George Washington's good teams, was urged by Bryan Morse, Director of Activities, in a discussion of ways and means which wound up the meeting of the Student Council at Lisner Hall Wednesday night, at which Noble G. Johnson was made assistant football manager, John S. Ellis assistant baseball manager, and a committee also appointed to investigate alleged violations of the classroom honor system.

The attention of the Council was called to statements made at a Faculty Club meeting, which declared that there were violations of the system in the recent examinations, and a committee consisting of Miss Earnest, Miss Arnold, and Miss Crabtree was selected by the president to cooperate with the W. U. C. and the Faculty Club in an investigation looking toward the rooting up of the cheating evil.

An effort to learn the exact amount on hand from the Student Activities Tax, so that it might be intelligently distributed, brought out the facts that the Hatchet and the Cherry Tree are now on a self-sustaining basis, the Glee Club made money with its recent debut, and the football games already scheduled for next fall ought to place a balance of from \$1,500 to \$2,000 on the credit side of the ledger.

Plans for other organizations are more or less of a gamble, however, on account of some subscribers to the tax not having paid up promptly. "We will be able to do what we planned to do," said Director Morse, "provided the students pay what they promised to pay."

Speaking of the two and three-quarter per cent spirit shown by the attendance at recent basketball games, the Director asked the Council: "Why does not the student body give the teams better support?"

"Because," replied members of the Council, "the students do not read the newspapers. They do not know what a wonderful showing the George Washington team is making."

The delegates insisted that the University spirit is growing rapidly.

DICKEY TO CAPTAIN G. W. SWIMMING TEAM

Says Team's Prospects For Successful Season in Aquatic Sport Are Bright.

At a meeting of the swimming team held Monday evening at the Y. M. C. A., 1736 G Street, Granville E. Dickey was elected captain by the unanimous vote of those present. The captain-elect has had some experience in leading aquatic teams, as he captained and managed last year the fast and point-winning combination which represented Washington Central High School and ran away with all scholastic events in this section of the country last season.

When asked about the team's prospects, Capt. Dickey told a Hatchet reporter that "The University has material which can be molded into a snappy team. We need the support of the school, and with that support and a lot of rigid training on the part of the team, I believe we will make a showing worthy of the traditions of this University. We are especially anxious to give a good account of ourselves against Washington and Lee. Whether we win or lose, this team will be the cleanest team the University has ever turned out—and that goes both ways."

Several new men have turned out for the new interest who will add materially to the strength of the team. Among these are Clyde Maitland, former Central High and Brown University breast stroker; Nohrquist, former University of California sprint man, and "Monkey" Wrench, the little 236 1/2-pound sylph who will represent G. W. in the plunge for distance. These men, along with the old stand-bys, Harvey, Wright, Koblegard, Hunter, Stokes, Palmer, Young and Capt. Dickey, with possibly one or two more, will do most of the navigating for the Buff and Blue.

The team trains at the "Y" every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 8 o'clock. All male members of the University are invited to try out.

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Another Argument

The academic year is half over. At the present writing George Washington University has been forced to beg, borrow, or hire no less than seventeen different fields, halls, gymnasiums, swimming pools and auditoriums for student activities. We enjoy a fine patronage. Our friends are numerous. They have helped us as true friends. They have cooperated to the fullest extent. The idea occurs to us that with a rapidly expanding program of student activities we will eventually wear out our welcome. We cannot hope to stage shows, football and basketball games, swimming meets, class plays, practice sessions of all sorts as we have this year. The Centennial seems to be the proper time to start something in the line of a gymnasium, auditorium and athletic field.

A Lesson

Between the halves of the Gallaudet-George Washington game the silent students from Gallaudet, led by a clever cheer leader, put over a demonstration that was far from being silent. They pounded their feet and clapped their hands in unison, giving one of the most admirable exhibitions of real school spirit that could have been witnessed anywhere. Here is a splendid lesson in school spirit for some of us, from a body of students to whom nature has been less kind with her gifts. That exhibition at Gallaudet should put some of the disinterested students of the Buff and Blue school to shame. We can yell, but some of us are too lazy to come to the games where the yelling would avail anything. Think it over—you, who have it all on your side.

GIRLS LOSE TO TEMPLE.

The girls' Varsity team lost to Temple University by a score of 45-11 last Friday night, February 11. Temple University has a speedy team. Their forwards were accurate and took advantage of their many chances at

the basket. Lucy Proctor was the one star player on the G. W. team. Those playing on the Varsity were: Woodford and Pickering, forwards; Proctor, center; Saunders, side center; Duffies and De Grange, guards. Substitutions: Robeson for Pickering; Dunham for Duffies.

Eddyings

OUR FIRST CONTRIBUTION.

I will put to you a query
For I really felt so very
Oh, so very, very much like writ-
ing just a little verse.
I got "Walker's Dictionary"
On the tenth of February
And I wrote these lines.
Now don't you think they really
might be worse? Macenas.

OUR REPLY.

"Mac," you set me quite a task
When you dared presume to ask
What I thought of what you
pleased to call a specimen of
verse.
Really I will take a vow,
That I can't imagine how
One could change those lines to
make them even one iota worse.
B. Ae.

The other day we picked up a half dozen of the more popular monthlies known as magazines. We were looking for diversion and, needless to say, we found it. It was some time since we had last seen a magazine and still believed, (for we are curiously "Mid Victorian" in some ways) that a magazine was a periodical pamphlet containing short stories, poems and essays. Things move so rapidly nowadays we were pleasantly shocked.

The literati of today are not wasting their time writing poetry or prose that has no other justification than its "prettiness," as they term it. The first thing that struck our eye was a charming bit of verse, by an anonymous author, who must be a humanitarian. It ran:

"Leave it to me to switch you right
On the road to health and cheer.
I'm on the job from morn till night
And the way is always clear."

CAMPBELL'S BEANS.

The pamphlet was almost completely filled with bits like the above, although not very many of them were written in the poetic vein.

However, all the writers were interested in helping the people. They were not only artists, they were educators. They extolled the people to wear "X's stockings that never wear out," or told the fat man how to get thin and the thin man how to get fat; they told how the veriest fool might become president of a corporation merely by reading their books; and also told him that he might build up his brain by eating "Manna" for breakfast. They were all so solicitous of the public welfare, and so unselfish.

It was then that we realized what one of our professors meant when he said that literature was governed by the public taste.

Now we know the public taste, and may be add—Ca suffice?

Our First Non Sequitor.

"Will you have some Blushing Bunny?"
"No; I don't think I'll take any sandwiches. Just give me a piece of cake."

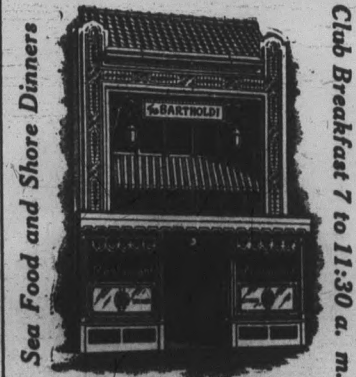
LAWYERS AND ART WILL BANQUET SAME EVENING

The Law School annual banquet will be held Saturday, February 19, at 7 p. m. at Franklin Square Hotel. Dean Roscoe Pound, of the Law School of Harvard University, well-known as a writer and authority on legal matters, will be the speaker of the evening. Dean Pound has not as yet announced his subject, but whatever it may be it is certain that those who attend the dinner will be greatly benefited by the opportunity of listening to such a noted legal scholar.

Dean Merton L. Ferson will be toastmaster and will, of course, fill the position capably. There will be short talks by Samuel Herrick, class of 1902, president of the Law School Alumni Association, and by the three class presidents—Harold Kay, class of '21; Brooks Hays, '22; and William

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writer of the one judged by popular acclaim to be the best. A dandy orchestra will play during the dinner, and for the dancing which will follow. About 300 are expected to attend.



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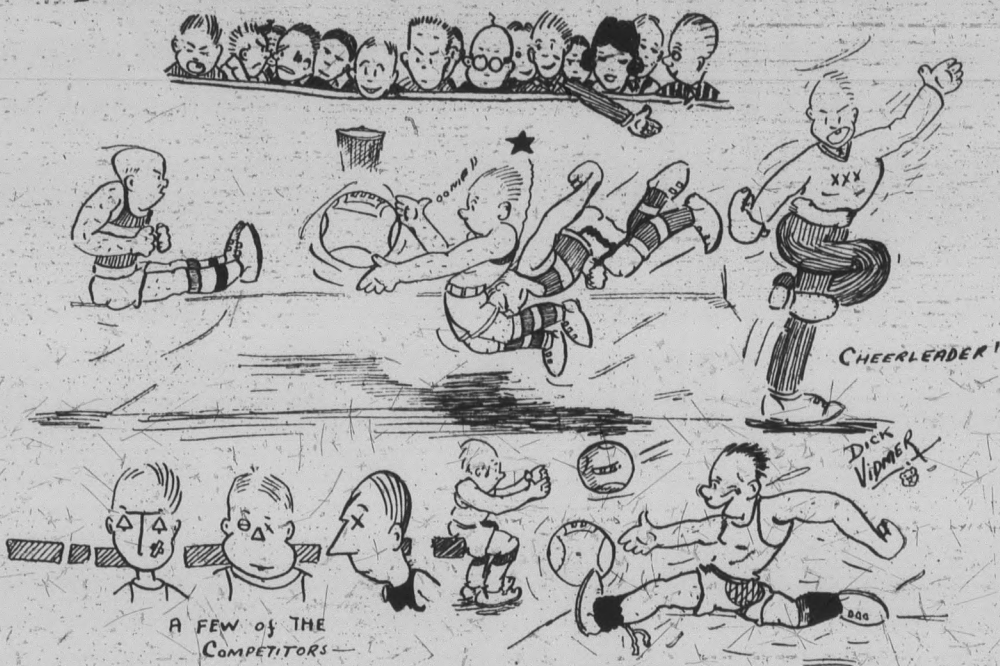
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FRATERNITY BASKETBALL

Before a crowd of wildly excited spectators, Delta Tau Delta went down in defeat at the hands of Sigma Alpha Epsilon on the night of February 10. On the same night Phi Sigma Kappa

refused to come on the floor for the second half of the contest with Sigma Nu. Phi Sigma Kappa contended that the Sigma Nu fraternity was playing graduates, contrary to a ruling made by the basketball committee, and a protest has been filed with the Interfraternity Association. The score of the Phi Sigma Kappa-Sigma Nu match was 11 to 4 in favor of Sigma Nu at the end of the first half.

The match between Sigma Alpha Epsilon and Delta Tau Delta was the fastest and most exciting played thus far this season. Colburn, of Delta Tau Delta, drew first blood by caging the sphere twice during the first minute of play. He was not to be outdone by Pease, of the P. A. E., who then caged two baskets in rapid succession. The scoring during the remainder of the half was largely the result of good shooting by Colburn, who made five of the six baskets made by the Deltas. Pease, of Sigma Alpha Epsilon, made three out of the five goals made by his team, and also shot two goals from foul in two attempts. The half ended with the score 12-12, and both teams fighting fiercely for the advantage. The weakness of Delta Tau Delta in shooting fouls was a great factor in their defeat. During the first half Colburn failed in two attempts, and Wood was unable to connect in three tries for a free goal.

The second half opened with Delta Tau Delta taking the lead. Wright and Colburn each made a goal, giving the Deltas a 4-point lead. The Deltas were then given a setback and were only able to make one more goal during the remainder of the game. For S. A. E., McAllister, Stephens and Potter got into action and each got two baskets. Pease kept up his consistent work, making three goals and one foul. Until six minutes of play, S. A. E. was only leading the Deltas by an 18-16 score. Delta Tau Delta then seemed to lose heart, and Sigma Alpha Epsilon caged baskets almost at will. The final score was 31 to 18.

W. U. C. BABY PARTY PROVES GREAT SUCCESS

The "baby" party given by the Women's University Club at their rooms, 2027 G Street Northwest, on Thursday evening, February 10, was attended by 30 "babies" and 3 nurse-maids. Miss Katherine Symmonds, vice president of the club and chairman of the social committee, had charge of the arrangements. Miss Symmonds was assisted by Miss Elizabeth Kendrick.

A brief business meeting was held during the early part of the evening, with Miss Margaret Metzger, president of the club, presiding. A motion was carried to make appropriation for three pages of the Cherry Tree, this space to be used for photographs of the officers of the club and a list of the names of the members. The purchase of a Victrola for the use of the club was authorized, and Miss Evelyn Jones was appointed chairman of a committee to procure this instrument.

After the meeting was adjourned the members became babies again. There were large babies and small babies, some with golden curls and some with brown curls. Various models of baby dresses were represented. One baby boy came and seemed to enjoy the party, especially the refreshments. Such good things to eat—animal cakes, ginger cookies, and oranges with candy sticks in them. The children played games and sang songs, and two little girls played on stringed instruments. All of the children were good-natured, even the smallest baby cried only once during the evening.

IMPROVEMENTS.

The "Axe" has heard that it is planned to improve the campus of our University by changing the decorative scheme of the buildings (from red to blue, to typify the mental state of students after exams), and to institute the cultivation of grass along the fence in honor of our freshmen.

LARGE SUM REALIZED ON PICTURE BENEFIT

"Dombey & Son," Picture Presented by Columbian Women for University Benefit, Draws Crowd.

For the benefit of the Columbian Women's scholarship fund, the centennial endowment fund and to help furnish rest rooms for the George Washington Law School, "Dombey & Son," a movie in six acts, was given at the Knickerbocker Theater at 2 and 4 p. m. Wednesday, February 2, 1921. The performance drew large crowds, both sessions filling the house to capacity. Through the courtesy of Mr. Crandall and Mr. Eastman, proprietors of the theater, who gave the use of the house for the afternoon, the committee obtained a large sum. Twelve young women from the University acted as ushers.

VIRGINIA POLYTECHNIC DEFEATS G. W. 26-20 (Continued from page one.)

with the mumps, while Eskew's place at forward was taken by Brachlow.

Danopsky, Gallaudet's forward, broke the ice by caging an easy one from the floor. This was immediately followed by a foul and a basket by the diminutive Spears, putting the Hatchettes in the van 3-2. The game was exceedingly rough, and many fouls were called by the officials, giving Spears a chance to score three times by this method before Loehler caged one from scrimmage. After Loehler caged his tally, Gallaudet broke loose when Danopsky and Baynes counted in close order. Not to be outdone by his teammates, Bouchard captured the ball under his own basket and dribbled the whole length of the court and dropped 2 points through the hoop. Before G. W. counted again, Baynes, Danopsky, and Boatwright each counted from scrimmage, putting the Hatchettes in the lead 15-9. Three fouls shot by Spears, and a goal by the same party, put the Hatchettes' count at 14, while La Fontaine shot a foul, bringing Gallaudet's total to 16, which result still stood at the end of the first half.

In the second half, Spears started things by tossing one from the 15-foot line and then putting one through the hoop from the floor, thus putting his team in the lead 17-16. A little later the score was tied. Johnny Loehler put the ball through the hoop, breaking the tie, and would have given the Hatchettes the game had not the official called a foul on Brachlow, giving La Fontaine the chance to score. La Fontaine was successful, bringing the score to 30 all when the final whistle blew.

An extra five minutes was then played, with both teams putting on speed. Chesney, who was substituted for Brachlow, was the first to count in this extra period. His basket brought the tally to 32-30. The final score resulted in a victory for Gallaudet, 34-33.

G. W. Freshmen Victors.

The Frosh in their game were hard put at times to retain the lead over the Gallaudet reserves. Both teams seemed evenly matched, as the score indicates, and plenty of excitement was furnished to those who came early enough to witness the preliminary contest. In the last few minutes of play one team would be ahead, then the other team would cage a basket and forge to the front, but not for long. The Freshmen would have won by a big margin had they been able to capture more points by the foul route. The game ended with the Frosh on the best end of a 26-24 count. Colburn, George Washington Frosh forward, and Hartin of Gallaudet reserves were the chief scorers of the evening. Colburn caged seven, while his rival hooped six through the netting.

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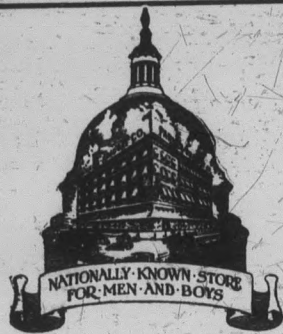
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fraternity scholastic requirements and initiation will probably be held in about two weeks' time.

Anyone walking in Rock Creek Park last Sunday morning would have seen Bros. Davis and Nall tearing around on horseback.

Bro. Ricks Proctor, of Province 7, was a guest of Epsilon chapter on Tuesday, and a reception was given in his honor.

DELTA TAU DELTA.

The chapter has issued invitations for an open tea at the fraternity house, 1750 Massachusetts Ave., from 4 to 7 on the afternoon of the 22d.

The Southern Division of the fraternity is holding a conference in Atlanta, Ga., on the 4th and 5th of next month. The local delegate has not yet been decided upon.

Douglas Macomber had a slight attack of the flu last week.

SIGMA NU.

On Friday, February 11, Sigma Nu held their midyear initiation. The following pledges were initiated: Horace C. Young, George Moskey, John J. McNelly, Adolf K. Barta, Ralph M. Holt, Charles Ricketts, Jr., and Vincent McDougal.

The annual initiation banquet and alumni reunion of the Delta Pi chapter was held in the Gold room of the New Ebbitt on Saturday evening, February 2. In addition to the members and alumni of the chapter, there were present many alumni of other chapters of the fraternity.

A dance was given at the chapter house, 1733 N Street, on the evening of February 14 in honor of the new initiates.

Bro. Clarence A. Short, Delta Kappa chapter, Delaware College, inspector of the first division for Sigma Nu, was the guest of the chapter over the past week end.

Members of Delta Pi were the guests of Delta Phi chapter, Maryland University, at its midwinter formal on Friday, February 11.

The chapter is glad to note the improved condition of Bro. Hak E. Enlows, chapter adviser, who has been ill with pneumonia for the past two weeks.

KAPPA ALPHA.

Alpha Nu chapter entertained more than 50 couples at a dance at K. A. house last Saturday evening, among whom were a large number of visiting K. As. from Virginia, Missouri and the Beta Kappa chapter at the University of Maryland.

J. R. Horsefield, K. A. from Washington College, Mo., will be married in this city to a young lady from St. Louis.

George Rice is endeavoring to instill the English language into the minds of the younger generation in the Alexandria schools, in addition to attending the University himself.

THETA DELTA CHI.

An informal dance was held at the charge house on February 12.

Bill Furlow and "Pick" Shea are now living at the Covington Apartments, on Columbia Road.

James McBride Sterrett, rector of the All Souls' Church, in Cleveland Park, and father of the Chi Deuteron Charge at George Washington, was the guest of the charge at a luncheon given at the University Club.

SIGMA ALPHA EPSILON.

A dance was held at the chapter house on Saturday evening, February 12. A very enjoyable time was had by all.

A great deal of interest is being shown in the interfraternity basketball games. The game last Thursday evening with the team representing the Deltas was hard fought and well

worth witnessing. The team was well supported from the side lines, for a large crowd was on hand to root for the team.

Bro. W. O. Harris, of Kansas Alpha, is in Washington for a few weeks on business. He expects to return shortly to the "wild and woolly."

Preparations are under way for the annual Founders' Day Banquet, which will be held at the Wardman Park Inn on March 9. From all indications, this function bids fair to be the biggest and best of the year.

PHI MU.

Beta Alpha Chapter entertained at a Valentine party in the rooms February 14.

Dorothy Sigman attended Junior Week at Lafayette College.

Phi Mu Founders' Day Banquet will be held at the Franklin Square Hotel on the evening of March 4. The banquet will be followed by dancing.

SIGMA PHI EPSILON.

D. C. Alpha Chapter held a smoker on last Saturday night.

An informal dance will be held at the chapter house on February 22.

Brother D. J. Fuqua has been in the University hospital for several days, having had his tonsils removed.

Brother W. W. McCaslin has been confined at home with a mild case of mumps.

Brother Verne Simmons may be forced to remain in the hospital for several weeks longer, but he is beginning to convalesce. He has been in the hospital over ten weeks, after an operation for appendicitis.

Several brothers report having had a big time during the recent three-day festivities at National Park Seminary.

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